



HOSEA

OVERVIEW BIBLE CHART

	PERSONAL <i>THE AGONY OF AN UNFAITHFUL SPOUSE</i>		NATIONAL <i>THE TRAGEDY OF AN UNFAITHFUL PEOPLE</i>		
	Hosea 1–3		Hosea 4–14		
	Marriage Children Separation Reunion		Series of sermons declaring the sin of the people and the character of God Model of the message as Hosea remains true to his wife in spite of her infidelity		
	Adulterous wife, faithful husband		Adulterous nation, faithful God		
	“Go and marry a prostitute.” (<i>Hos. 1:2</i>)	“Go and love your wife again, even though she commits adultery with another lover.” (<i>Hos. 3:1</i>)	Nation is guilty God is holy	Nation needs judgment God is just	Nation has hope God is love
THEME	God’s faithful love toward His unfaithful people				
KEY VERSES	Hosea 2:19–20; 3:1; 11:1–12				
CHRIST IN HOSEA	Christ’s being “called out” from hiding in Egypt as a child is pictured in Hosea’s record of Israel’s Exodus from Egypt (<i>Hos. 11:1; see Matt. 2:15</i>). In Hosea’s redemption of Gomer from the slave market, Christ is pictured as the loving, faithful Redeemer of sinful humanity.				